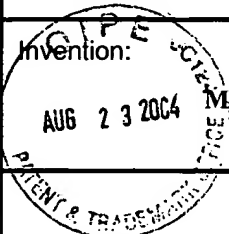

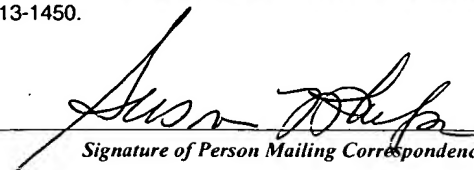


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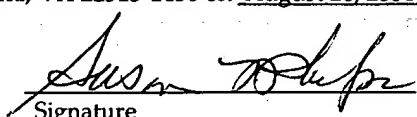
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In response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2004, reconsideration of the rejections imposed is respectfully requested. The Examiner will find, on page 5, a listing of the claims with the amendments proffered herein. Subsequent to the list of claims, the Examiner will find applicants' remarks in support of the withdrawal of all of the rejections imposed.

Amendments to specification: see page 3.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of the present response.

Amendments to the drawings have been made prior to the formal set of drawings being filed with the Patent and Trademark Office. The set of formal drawings that was submitted with the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers on July 27, 2001, and received by the PTO on July 30, 2001, are correct and contain all of the drawing changes detailed in the Remarks section on page 9 for the convenience of the Examiner.

Applicants' remarks are found on page 9 of the present submission.